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PERSEVERANCE Y LODGE OF

HONGKONG, No. 1,165.

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FREEDIASONS' HALL, Zelland Street, on

SATURDAY, the 15th inst., at 8.30 for 9 P.M.

precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially in-

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MONDAY NIGHT.

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Hongkong, 7th August, 1896.

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GATION COMPANY.

Austrian Government).

STEAM TO SHANGHAI AND KOBE.

» MEDUSA."

Captain G. Wallutehnig, will leave for the above places on WEDNESDAY, the 12th inst.

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GATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM SHANGHAI AND KOBE.

"MARQUIS BACQUEHEM"

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whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods

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Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 13th

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Hongkong, 7th August, 1896.

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Catalogues will be issued.

Hongkong, 7th August, 1896.

TERMS OF SALE:—As Customary.

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STEADS

TURE, &c.,

LINSTEAD & DAVIS.

above LODGE will be held in the

MONDAY, the 24th August, 1896.

instant, both days inclusives ...

Hongkong, 7th August, 1896.

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FOR SAIGON

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Superintendent.

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Hongkons, 6th August, 1896.

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PANY, LD:

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on MONDAY, the 10th inst.

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11809 goods are landed.

Hongkong, 7th August, 1896.

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General Managers.

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The Manager. Hongkong, 2nd September, 1895, [182]

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Tales of Old Japan, by Mitford
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Joan of Arc, edited by Mark Twain History of Latin Literature, by Simcox,

Mechanism of Man-of-War :... Torpedoes and Torpedo Vessels
A Visit to Java, by Worsfold Pone Leo XIII A Manual of Mending and Repairing, by - Leland ... Light Railways, by Mackay
Heart of a Continent, by Younghusband, 10.00

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Hontrkong, 25th January, 1892. [288] NOTICES OF FIRMS

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NOTICE.

NOTICE. FITHE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing Refurnished the whole Establishment, had it

BLODGETT & Co. expired by limitation on now RE-OPENED it under the more popular Style of VICTORIA HOTEL. GETT retiring and his interest and responsibility CEASING on that date. The Business will be continued by the surviving Partners, Mr. EDWIN HEATH WARNER and Mr. CHARLES ILDER-TON BARNES under the Firm Name and Title of WARNER, BARNES & Co.
Mr. RICHARD E. BARRETTO has been authorized to Sign the Firm.
Manila, 15th July, 1896.

R. BULAMAN CURRIMMAHOMED is leaving for Bombay, and the Business of our Firm will be carried on by Mr. OOMER MOLADINA, who is sutherized to Sign from this date.

+ NOTICE.---

ARRIVALS.
Aug. 6, ROSETTA, British str., 2,039, F. N. Tillard, R.N.R., Bombay 22nd July, and Singapore 1st Aug., Mails and General.— P. & O. S. N. Co. Aug. 6, Kong Beng, British str., 800, F. W. Joslin, Bangkok via Kohsichang 30th July, General, BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Aug. 6, Hanoi, French str., 732, Chodzko, Haiphong 2nd Ang., and Heihow 3rd, Gene-

SHIPPING:

ral.-A. R. MARTY. Aug. 6, Wongkot, British str., 1,115, Stonham, Bangkol 27th July, General - YUEN FAT

Aug. 6, Toyonashi Maru, Japanese str., 1,871, F. Horton, Moji 1st Aug., Coals.—Nippon YUSEN KAISHA. Aug. 6. MARQUIS BACQUEHEM, Austrian str., 2,740. Giuseppe Castanzo, Kobe 31st July,

General.—SANDER & Co. CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. Frigga, German str., for Yokohama. Triumph, German str., for Hollow. Halloung, British str., for Swatow.

Ariake Maru. Jap. str., for Kutchinotzu. Fushun, Chinese str., for Bhanghai. Taiyuan, British str., for Yokohama COEPARTURES.

Aug. 6, Tai LEE, German str., for Canton. Aug. 6. IRENE, British atr., for Canton. Aug. 6, SAVONA, British ship, for Manila. Aug. 6. OSBORNE, British str., for Singapore. Aug. 6, Нагтан, British str., for Swatow. Aug. 6, Foochow, British str., for Shanghai. Aug. 6, Wuhu, British str., for Saigon.

Aug. 6, KWEIYANG, British str., for Canton. Aug. 6, KEONGWAI, British str., for Bangkok. Aug. 6, KWANGLEE, Chinese str., for Canton. Aug. 6, PAOTING, British str., for Shanghai.

Aug: 6, P. C. Klao, British str., for Bangkok, Aug: 6, Fushun, Chinese str., for Shanghai. Aug. 6, Rosetta, British str., for Shanghai. Aug. 6, TAIYUAN, British str., for Yokohams.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Per Rosetta, str., from Bombay for Hongkong. -Miss R. O. Watling. From London-Lieut I C. T. Dormer, Rev. P. H. Jones. From Singapore-Miss G. L. Gindier From London for Yokohama-Messrs. Jackson and H. Lowe. From Singapore—Messrs. Teer and A. G. Wise. From London for Shanghai—Messrs.

L. Kay and T. C. Forbes. Per Hengkong, str., for Pakhoi—Dr. Dean. For Halphong—Rev. Aguesse, Mr. A. Buyers. VESSELS IN DOCK

ABBRDELN DOCKS.—Shantung, Holstein. Kowloon Docks.-Activ: Reina Cristina, Strathallan, Piccicle, Nanyang, Kiangnan, McDuff, Progress, Brand, Honam. Cosmopolitan Dock. - Wandering Jew, Afridi, Tyr.

TO DAY. Transfer Books of Hongkong Hotel Co., closed to 21st instant. Wirth's Circus and Menagerie at West Point, Volunteer Concert, Hendquarters, 9 p.m.

TO MORROW Auction, Drapery and Outsitting, Mr. G. P. Lammert, 2.30 p.m.

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MARRIAGE. On the fith inst., at Union Church, by the Rev. G. J. Williams, WILLIAM MALCOLM WATSON, to Rose, younger daughter of Edward C. CLIFT, Hay-

bridge House, Shropshire, England. DEATH. On the 1st July, at Cliffon, aged 21 years, JOHN McQueen, eldest son of John WALTER, of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

HONGKONG, AUGUST 7th, 1896.

As will be seen from the papers Inid on the table of the Legislative Council on Wednesday, the Hon. E. R. Bellilios has withdrawn his offer of a site and building for the College of Medicine. The reason given is that since he made the offer the situation has wholly changed. The hon. gentleman is at liberty to do what he will with his own and had a perfect right to withdraw his offer at any time before acceptance. Criticism on that point, therefore, must be confined to the remark that though, as Mr. Bellilios says, circumstances have changed, they have not changed in any way that would have rendered his proposed gift less useful or less acceptable. The Government will now have to undertake the work of establishing a College with out the generous assistance which Mr. Belillos was prepared to give some time ago, and which it is to be gretted was not promptly accepted. representative committee appointed by H.E. the Governor has reported on the best organization for a College of Medicine for Hongkong, and as they were not asked to leet. report on the necessity of such a college presumably the Government is satisfied on that point. The existing College of Medicine for Chinese, which has done excellent work, is now on the eve of collapse, and the Government must perforce take up and carry on the work on more permanent and broader lines. As Mr. Bellinos says in his letter to the Governor, the College was "warmly supported by Dr. Cantlie and "carefully administered by Dr. Thomson. "The former has left the colony; the "latter is relinquishing hospital work; and "the other medical practitioners are too Royal, who has come to Japan for the purpose "much occupied to take any keen interest "in the institution." At the time the Col-

established. We do not see how the Government

lege was established the weakness of the

out in this column, but during the period it

has existed it has proved of great value,

upon it. As Mr. Becilios truly remarks, Colure, of the Chinese nevy who has been the guest of Captain James Williamson, in "It has been shown by the recent out-Wigtownshire, for some time, has been recalled. breaks of bubonic plague in our midst, by the Chinese Embassy to London to hold and the insanitary condition of the city, himself in readiness to meet Li Hung chang. that the work of educating the Chinese It is expected that on Li Hung-chang's visit to London an important step will be taken with "in sanitation and a belief in Western reference to China's new fleet; ' medicine is a work that should be under-"taken by the Government." It has also been

truly said that everything cannot be done

legislation, that something must

left to education. It is our duty, and also...

medical and sanitary science, and to that end

a college or school of medicine is essential.

Granted the necessity of such an institution,

the question of organisation then presents

itself. It is to be hoped the scheme will

not be shipwrecked by launching it on too

ambitious lines, of which there appears to be

some danger. The committee appointed by

the Governor recommend in their report

"that the minimum period of study be live

" years, and that before commencing study

"all candidates be required to pass an

" entrance arts examination not lower than

that of the sixth-standard of the new

" Educational Code (Hongkong, 1893);" and

"that qualified students be given the title

of Licentiate in Medicine and Surgery of

the Hongkong College of Medicine,' to be

"contracted 'L.M.S.H,' and be registered as

"qualified to practise under this title in the

colony." Dr. AYRES and Dr. ATKINSON do

not agree with the rest of the committee our

these points; they say that it is doubtful

this colony are sufficient to enable students

standard of efficiency required by the Gen-

eral Council under the Medical Act of 1886;

that the title of Licentiate in Medicine and

Surgery, Hongkong College of Medicine,

would be liable therefore in many cases to

holders would not be sufficiently qualified to

practise medicine and surgery without super-

vision; and they recommend that two

"native apothecaries," and "Licentiates in

"Medicine and Surgery," the qualifications,

or rather conditions, for the latter, being not

they consider it sufficiently comprehensive.

We agree with Dr. Ayres and Dr. ATKIN-

the holder had attained the standard of effi-

ciency required for a similar degree in

England; and, as there is little prospect of

that standard being attainable locally, the

probably be safer if the lower qualifi-

out commensurate qualifications. What the

colony really wants is to replace the native

at 8.30 a.m. yesterday.

The Austrian Lloyd's steamer Medusa left

The report of the British Consul at San

Francisco notes that in 1895 26,213,095 lbs, of

It is reported that the Japanese negotiations

The Spanish Government has issued a decree

Captain Count Frederick C. Metaxa, formerly

of H.M.S. Leander on the China Station, com-

The flooring of a room at 25, Hollywood Road

fell in yesterday morning and two women and a

girl who were in a cookhouse below were slight.

Mr. Valentine Chirol, the Times-correspon-

The O. & O. steamer Doric, with mails, &c.,

The proposed reconstruction of the harbours

of Kelung and Takow has been decided upon.

Professor Burton and Dr. Ishiguru have pro-

seeded to Formose in connection with the pro-

Amongst the successful candidates at the

stations abroad was Lieut. Rowcroft, E.C., of

We are indebted to the Spanish Consul for a

the Manile Observatory :- "Manila 6th Aug.,

9.26 a.m. There is a depression to the E.S.E

of Manila in the Pacific; still distant."

allowed the animal to escape

in military topography.

from San Francisco to the 21st ultimo, has

arrived at Yokohama, and will leave for this port

this morning, the 7th inst., via Nagasaki.

dent, is again coming out to the Far East,

being booked for Hongkong by the Empress of

Ludia, which left Vancouver on the 3rd August.

mands H.M.S. Sultan in the Naval manouvres.

with Franco have been completed and that the

sugar came from China.

new treaty is new waiting to be signed.

Philippine Islands to 17,686 men.

conferrable by the College. It may

qualifications should be founded, viz.

whether as a rule the facilities afforded

our interest; to educate the Chinese

A Tokyo press despatch of the 28th Bays :- A telegram was received by the Bank of Japan the day before yesterday to the effect that the Russian Government is trying to raise in London a loan of 400,000,000 france bearing interest at 3 per cent. The money is required to accelerate the completion of the Biberian rallway and also to further the war preparations. The circulation of this report in Europe has resulted in a great advance in the price of gold.

We would remind our renders of the new programme at Wirth's circus this evening, when the Liverpool Steeplechase will be prosented and the Ching Ling Foo Troups will appear. To-morrow afternoon there will be a matince, when each child will receive as present a portrait of Muriel Wirth. On Monday evening Mrs. Wirth's benefit takes place. under the patronage of H.E. the Governor and H.E. General Black.

The following appears in a home paper: There is considerable wisdom in the suggestion that the Malabar shall be sent to Hongkong instead of the Tamer to replace the old Victor Emmanuel as depôt ship. The Tamar is too small for the purpose, and will not have much accommodation to spare for supernymoraries, while the ex-Indian trooper has plenty of room, and is, moreover, a far more comfortable ship hetween dooks for a hot climate. There are many other uses to which the Tamar could be put, particularly in view of the increasing importance of naval strength in the Far East.

Some time ago H.E. Liu Kun-yi ordered 1,00 rifles from the Hanyang arm manufacturing factory, which is amalgamated with the iron-works, Upon the fire arms being delivered to Nanking most of them were found to be old ones highly to obtain during a five years' course the molished" and were practically assless. H.E. Chang Chih-tung was communicated with on the subject, and it has since transpired that four of the principlal mechanics were at the bottom of the thing not perhaps without the consent of some of the numerous "Wei-yuens." They simply got what cast-away weapons they could and so finished them up with a good "look see" convey a false impression, and many of its that they succeeded in passing them for guns costing Tls. 24 a piece, until use was made of them by the soldiers, when the fraud was discovered .- Mercury.

writes :- An amusing piece of corroborative Shaukiwan, and Aberdeen. my notice a day or two ago. It was nothing has been increased by \$191,073, equivalent to found to be crur of the matter. less than a ricksha intended for the world of 3.54 per cent. Council under the Medical Act; also that how defunct natives are supplied with sycee, for the past year (1895-96) the results are as obliged to study the cricket reports with their the proposed prospectus be referred to the beggars, most of them in this matter-of-fact in the City of Victoria an inlife could only look at and long for. But a Privy Council in order to ascertain whether rickshin! Imagine the sensation-for I think this must have been the first of its kind to go -imagine, I say, the sensation which this lucky son that the title of Licentiate in Medicine Celestial will cause as he rolls along down the Brondway into Hades or Sheel, or whatever the and Surgery would be misleading unless Revised Version calls it!

Messers. Wm. G. Hale & Co., in their ciroular dated Saigon, 25th July, say :- Rico .-Supplies have fallen off to 14,000 piculs daily, and will probably be much less ere long. There | improved tenements. proposed entrance examination includ- is a moderate demand for the Philippines; and latterly, has been most untensonable, and it is per cent. arising from tenements pulled down, cation proposed were made the only one to be feared that a large portion of the young plants have been destroyed by the drought, and taken for granted that before the scheme as yet to repair all damage. No. 1 white milled \$3:27, No. 2 white milled \$2.68, 10 per cent. is approved by the Secretary of State it will cargo \$2.19, 20 per cent. cargo \$2.15 per cwt., be referred, as recommended, to the Privy f.o.b. invoice weight, in gannies, without in surance. Tonnage-Freights are without life, Council, and there can be little doubt that and quotations may be called :- To Hongkong the decision of that body will be adverse to 6 cents per picul. To Philippines 17/18 cents per picul. To Java,16/17-cents per picul. To the conferring of high-sounding degrees with-Singapore 5 cents per picul.

Messrs. S. W. Royse & Co., in their report. deted Manchastelling? the Bue 1788 during this quacks practising in the place by a class of then who shall have had some intullimonth. In Scotland there has been some training in medical science; but to establish prossure for delivery, and the deliveries at a College of Medicine conferring degrees Middlesbrough on both home and foreign account are heavy, and stocks expected to show a doequivalent to those recognised under the crease at the end of the month. It is surprising English Medical Act appears to be beyond therefore that values have not been at least maintained, but in fact the present quotations our resources. It would be advisable, thereare lower than those current at the beginning fore, to confine the scheme to a school of the month; there is quite a want of confiattached to the Civil Hospital, conferring dence, and consumers are not inclined to purchase at present with prices tending downwards. degrees corresponding only to the standard There is considerable activity in the manufacof the school. Encouragement might at the tured iron trade in the Midlands; most works are well supplied with orders, and prices are same time be afforded to the students by quite firm. Copper has advanced steadily during offering scholarships entitling the winners this month, and is at present some £5 per ton to further continue their studies in England, dearer than it was two months ago. Tin also where they would have the opportunity of has moved persistently upwards, and has gained about £2 per ton during the last two months. taking any degree for which they could Spelter has improved further, and is quite firm. Lead has only fluctuated slightly, and is at present steady. The delivery of the English mail was begun

The Singapore Free Press says:-In a copy of "The Colonial Directory of the Straits Settlements, including Sarawak, Labuan, Singapore for this port on Wednesday, the 5th Bangkok, and Saigon for 1875"-itself a relic of history, bearing the name of the " Hon. W. W. Birch, H.B.M.'s Resident, Perak,"we note in the calendar against the date-May 27th, the following event "Stmr. Drummond Castle wrecked on Chusan group, 1823." Does anybody in the Far East know anything of the details of this disaster, or have access to records thereof? It must have been a considerable event to have had a place in a calendar of over half a contury later, and may have attracted relatively as much attention increasing the effective military force in the the East as the recent loss of the namesako ship has done 73 years afterwards In reply a correspondent writes :- "I noticed an article in the Free Press of yesterday (20th) alluding to the loss of the Drummond Castle wrecked on the Chusan Group. If my memory does not fail me, this vessel was lost about 23 years ago. I am almost certain she was one of

the (Castle Line) of Glasgow, and I think Messrs. Guthrie & Co. were then the Singapore agents of that line" Upon this the Free Press says :-- It is quite possible that there may have been a Demonstrat Castle lost about the time our correspondent mentions. But of that there is no record available. The actual date given for the wreck of a vessel of that name on

the 1823 wreck. The Straits Times of the 30th July says:-William Houd, Colonial Surgeon Resident, Sin-the English people to show to America that Co.) has been published for the Marylobone Club. gapore. Dr. Hoad died this morning at five the ties of kindred are still strong with us. This series commenced with the year 1772 and minutes past nine, after an illness of only a. One of the most remarkable demonstrations at therefore will form a valuable and continuous wook's duration. The circumstances in which the late Congress of Chambers of Commerce history of our national game. he contracted the disease to which he succumbed was that when a Canadian delegate attempted to renders his premature death peculiarly sad. A convince his lieurers that we were not long age recent examination of officers for promotion at week ago to day the deceased, while conducting on the verge of war with America. With almost the Hongkong Regiment, being distinguished a post mortem examination on the body of European, had the misfertune to inflict a slight scratch on his hand. On the following day he became slighly feverish and in the evening Dr. copy of the following telegram received from Gilmore Ellis saw him and placed him under treatment. Saturday morning found the patient in exceedingly high fever, with marked symptoms of blood-poisoning. Dr. Mugliston was an Ambassador with the best intentions in the called in, but no improvement being manifest, Drs. Fowlie and Galloway consulted with Drs. Among the passengers who arrived at Yoko-Ellis and Mugliston on Tuesday. An operation hams by the Empress of China from Vancouver was not decided on at the time; but, as the on the 26th July was Profesor William Heury operation was performed on Wednesday by the next by a party of 300 or more members of the direction. A train load of nine carriages and Mahoney Christie, F.R.S., the Astronomer provement was apparent, but, at three o'clock in the right well and an inspection at Marl. in 3 hours 36 minutes! One run of 40 miles dresses, 101 in 1894; iron industry 301 in the afternoon the temperature began to rise of observing the eclipse of the sun of 9th rapidly and reached a very high point. Dr. borough House by the Prince of Wales is was done at the rate of 75 miles an hour. This in 1895, 256 in 1894; other metal industries, 114 shortly after seven o'clock; this morning, was be glad to hear nort week how these things are such as none, it may safely be said, of the 158 in 1895, 188 in 1894; coal and coke, 145 buckerians, who was badly mailed by a leopard, shortly after seven o'clock; this morning, was been fitted in 1895, 139 in 1895; chemical industry, 299 in the property of Mr. Dennys. The Government seized with convulsions and he passed away unsay that, if Mr. McFarlans joined the police consciously at nine o'clock, death being due to the American invasion. foundation on which it rested was pointed as to who is to pay the hospital bills of Mr. bound pay for the sport. The police, however, felt with Mrs. Hoad in her severa bereavement, think that Mr. Dennys should pay for gross and the community will join in deploring the responsible for the acts of his servant, who or two. At the time of his death the deceased

was in his forty-second year.

on official authority, that the Government snalyst has found no traces of polson. It seems clear that hisr death arese from natural

Private telegraphic advices received at Sin gapore state that the British ship Sierra Perima, of Liverpool, was wrecked on Gang Island, Maldives, and crew all-safely landed at Colombo, except one man, who died of fever on Gang Island. Official enquiry exonerates the muster and officers of all blame.

> REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. [SUPPLIED- TO THE " DAILY PRESS."] LONDON, 4th August:

THE "TIMES" ON LI HUNG-CHANG'S VISIT TO GREAT BRITAIN. The Times in a leading article says that the real object of Li Hung-chang's visit to Great Britain is to obtain the British sanction for an increase of the Chinese Customs tariff, the basis of which, on account of the fall in the value of silver, is now radically altered. Russia. France, and Germany have already assented t the increase, but the real decision rests with Great Britain, whose trade with China is eighty per cent. of the whole. The Times further romarks that Great Britain before contenting to the doubling of the tariff must secure an adequate quid pro que, and states that it has been definitely decided by China-to have new Army and Navy, and that the extent reform depends upon the amount of money be derived from the proposed increased tariff. LI HUNG-CHANG'S EUROPEAN

ORDERS. Li mung-chang has virtually ordered artillery from Germany and rifles from France, but he is resolved to have the new Navy constructed in Great Britain, upon British lines, and under the direction of British officers

THE ASSESSMENT FOR 1896-97. The following report by the Assessor was laid betwee the Legislative Council on Wednesday :---Assessor's Office. 21st July, 1896.

on the Assessment for the year 1896-97. A contributor to the Shanghai Mercury Kowloon Point, Yanmati, Ma-ti, Hunghom, will make it a very uphill fight for the advocates

4.—Comparing the new valuation with that tion of the hour on road and rail.

In the Hill District an increase of 18,775 Youmati an increase of ... Ma-ti de docrease of In Shoukiwan an increase of South 5.-In the Hongkong villages, i.e., all

villages or places on the Island excluding those mentioned in paragraph 4, there is an increase of \$3,008 or 2.92 per cent., owing to new and 6 .- In Kowloon villages, 2.c., the Kowloon ing neither Latin nor Euclid, it would some enquiry for Java, but our prices prevent peninsula excluding places referred to in paratransactions of importance: The weather, graph 4, there is a decrease of \$2,998 or 4.62

and an adjustment of the boundaries of Yaumati, whereby a portion of Mati and a place replanting must follow; however, there is time known as Kungchung have been transferred. 7.—During the period from 1st July, 189 to 1st June, 1895, interim valuations have l been made as-follows :--In the City of Victoria.

67 new tenements, rateable value\$ 46,930 76 improved tenements, rate-Replacing Assessments, amounting to21,820

assessments cancelled, tenements pulled down Increase in the City of Victoria .. S 19,545

. . In the Rest of the Coloni. 141 new tenements, rateable value \$ 19,469 19 improved tenoments, rate-Replacing Assessments, amount-

208 Assessments cancelled, tenements pulled down

Increase in rest of colony \$ 15,53 The total number of tenements affected by interim Assessments being 657, and the increase in rateable value \$35,080. 8.—The number of reported vacant tenements this called forth angry shouts from the crowd Marquis and Marchioness of Salisbury, Mr inspected under section 35 of the Rating Ordinance has averaged about 250 monthly. 9.—The usual tabular statements giving comparisons of the valuation for 1895-96 and the new valuation for 1896-97 are attached. 10.-I have again to express my thanks to the Honourable the Director of Public Works for his courtesy in arranging for Mr. King, the Land Bailiff's assistance being available in con-

nection with the villages. last upon returning from leave. Mr. Malsch, who acted for me during my absence, left every- onlarly in cricket, "one should never prophecy thing up to date, and had prepared all necessary books and papers to enable me to at company, for it was the general opinion that once commence upon the new valuation. 12.—There has been no change in the staff, Mr. Chan Pui, clerk, and Mr. Ip Yuk Pui, win. They did, however, win in good style, interpreter, having continued to perform their with four wickets to spare, a result due largely duties in a satisfactory manner. The former is to the excellent stand of one man, Mr. G. O at present setting for Mr. Mok Man Cheung as | Smith (134). On the subject of Cambridge

ARTHUR CHAPMAN, The Honourable A. M. Thomson,

Acting Colonial Treasurer. . LONDON NOTES. BY A CORRESPONDENT.

July has brought with it the great annual Chusan was 1823, a date far beyond the memory: excursion of Londoners to the seaside and of any European resident here. We have re- almost as great an incursion of Americans and ferences to wrecks of a Blervie Castle (1847), a | Canadians. Our first visitors of note were the Castle (1876). But we have no particulars of much of the welcome given them was due to the to a revision of the rules. fact that many of them were descendants of the "pilgrims" who left these inhospitable they will be glad to know that the fourteenth them. shores in the Mauflower in 1620, but it may also | volume of the series of "Arthur Haygarth's be accounted for in a measure by the desire of | Cricket Scores and Biographies" (Longmans & one voice from the "Home" and of the Hall came the cry "No. No!" They would have none of it. Bo this as it may, there can be no doubt that there is the keenest desire in our country to promote good feeling between the two people. It would seem also that America has been most fortunate in having same direction. Mr. Boyard has served the cause of neace and his country well.

The Pilgrims, quite tired out by their festivities, have now left for the Continent, but railway travel. It was for our American visitors which, as we hope, is now about to be continued to set and the community will join in deploying the sure of the week was a review transmite these figures, says that, with the exception of the sugar industry, experts have being the principal feature of the week was a review transmite these figures, says that, with the exception of the sugar industry, experts have being the principal feature of the week was a review transmite these figures, says that, with the exception of the sugar industry, experts have being the principal feature of the week was a review transmite these figures, says that, with the exception of the sugar industry, experts have being the principal feature of the week was a review transmite these figures, says that, with the exception of the sugar industry, experts have being the principal feature of the week was a review transmite these figures, says that, with the exception of the sugar industry, experts have being the principal feature of the week was a review transmite these figures, says that, with the exception of the sugar industry, experts have being the principal feature of the week was a review transmite these figures, says that, with the exception of the sugar industry, experts have a principal feature of the week was a review transmite these figures. he has been held by the Magistrate not to be home on leave, and had only been back a month. land was the way it was put to me one day. horses took part in a parade that gave dustries, and have even reached a higher figure. London to Edinburgh (400 miles) in eight and all who were privileged to see it the utmost than ever before.

As regards the reported polacoing of the late | a half hours for \$15 is the feat that can done by three trains a day on two great lines of The race to the North this summer will not bring out so much rivalry as to speed as cocurred last year between the great trunk lines. The limits of speed seem to have been reached and this summer the struggle is to give increased comfort and economy. hundred and twenty miles in 140 minutes on the Great Northern is a daily run new made, but perhaps the most remarkable journey of late was that of the Prince of Wales. The Great Western Royal Train, which is a very heavy one, in taking the Prince to

> Wolverhampton without a single stoppage in 160 minutes. This is truly "Royal Progress. Colonial servants when at home are doubtless well acquainted with the Colonial Office and its staff. What a healthy place the Colonial Office must be. It was only after 52 continuous years' service in this department of state that retire, which he did yesterday, on his long deferred pension. Mr. Thompson was but the Library Messonger. Sir Robert Meade, on bohalf of the Colonial Office officials, signalized this event by presenting Mr. Thompson with a very handsome clock.

"The Colonial Office List" just published ppears again for its 35th time and expand with the expansion of the Empire. seems to give the editor some qualms look he should not have got all Her Majesty's posses. China. sions in, so frequently are additions made to

A correspondent informs a London daily that he is about to publish 400 original riddles, one which is " what course is it judicious to take at a spiritualistle séance ?!" Answer: "Try to hit the happy medium." There are 309 more like this, not, however, including the question, "What should the O.G. do when a policeman demands admission at a Lodge held on licensed premises P. This solomn question is, it appears, to be selved in Parliament shortly, owing to a

the wind seems to be slightly in another thirty hit off the situation pretty fairly when he depicts Mr. Chamberlain as coquetting with a masked figure of Free Trade fanning herself with a "Fair Trade" fan. Mr. Chamberlain was admittedly very cautious in the speed Sir,-I have the honour to submit my report | referred to; but it has nevertheless very much raised the hopes of Canadians, in particular, on 2.—By order of His Excellency the Gov- the subject of a Zeliverein. The ominous ernor in Council I have made a new valuation | silence of Australian representatives, coupled | of the City of Victoria, the Hill District. with the firm atitude of free traders in England, of a Zollverein; the more especially as our 3.—The result of the new valuation is that colonies are not yet in a position to supply us man keeps himself up to date was brought to the rateable value of the colony as a whole with all our food stuffs, which probably will be

Cricket? Well, yes! This is the great quesper cent | " Cricket Editions" are published late at night | \$80,862 equal to 2.76 and an Australian success is made to serve as a up and what not! It is quite fortunate that the Anstralian team can hold its own, for nothing would seem to give more pain than to have to record their failure. This is as it should be. The Australian matches have so far been fairly interesting to cricketers, but the great event of the season, viz., the Oxford and Cambridge match, proved on the first day a very dull affair indeed. Yesterday's play was of the most tedions description to the lookers on, of whom there must have been over 15,000 present. As scores now go 319 did not seem much to beast of for Cambridge, but this is far ahead of Oxford, who made but 202 to day. With lead of 117 on their first innings and 154 for 8 wickets in their second venture, coupled with thoroughly wet night, as it is, this match should result in favour of the Light Blues.

After the fatigues of a long day's watching and excitement at Lord's Lam glad to avail my self of the Supplementary French Mail which leaves London at ten o'clock to-day to complete my few notes of yesterday's cricket. Although Thursday's play was so tame and uninteresting, an immense concourse came see for such are the plantous uncertainties of cricket that one does not know what may happen. Judging by past form and their excellent work in the field on Thursday, a brilliant day's batting was expected from the Oxford team, but the mysterious " rot" known to cricketers

set in, and it was soon seen that a "follow on' could hardly be avoided. It is curious that this question caused such lively discussion in 1893 after the Universities match of that year, when less than 80 occasion 8 runs were wanting. Now 120 stands instead of 80 and this year 12 runs were wanting when the last man, Lewis, went in at 4 o'clock. A "follow on" on a good wicket with fatigued bowlers would just suit Oxford under the circumstances, but the Cambridge tactics, to prevent this, while they were successful, caused the utmost excitement among the onlooker; indeed it is said that such a scene as yesterday's has never been witnessed at Lord's. With only 12 rans wanting, Shine, acting on instructions, sent down quite deliberately a no ball and another and a third and yet another; and ories of "Play cricket." As the "follow: on" was saved the bowler sent a fifth ball, which took the last wicket and closed the innings. Heavy rain has fallen during the night, but the day is fine and I expect a brilliant finish and an angry shout to-day, of which you shall know

more in my next.

In my notes of last week I had the temerity to suggest, from the state of the game at Lord's 11.—I resumed my duties on 16th November that Cambridge should win in their match with Oxford. The sequel only shows that, partiunless he knows." I was wrong, and in good the task set the Oxford team was more than they could compass with S60 runs wanting to Franslator at the Supreme Court .- I have the tactics there has been the keenest controversy honour to be, sir, your most obsdigut servant, and champions of Mr. Mitchell's action are not wanting. It must be admitted that the tactics adopted by the Cambridge captain are not generally approved of, and it is very doubtful if under similar circumstances any captain in a first-class match would follow the precedent of last Friday. For good or for evil, much is left in cricket to be ruled by etiquette; in this case the rules of the game do not forbid what was done and it will largely resolve itself into a question of etiquette. Had the Oxford batsman hit-wicket after the first no ball he would have been strictly within the rules, but this would have brought two "tricks" into the Diervie Custle (1859), a Windsor Castle (1844), a "American Pilgrims," and a great reception game instead of one. The whole subject is now Floors Castle (1882), and another Windsor they had throughout the country. Doubtless being fully thrashed out and will no doubt lead If your Cricket Club has a library probably

of London by an armed force from America

I refer to the visit of the Boston "Ancients'

-The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetta. This organization was an offshoot of the H. A. C. of London founded 258 years ago, and is consequently 101 years the junior of our celebrated corps. Many of the present members of the "Ancients" are veterans in war, dating their "baptism of fire" from the Rebellion. Nothing could be more cordial than the reception they have had, both from the populace and from the military authorities. I referred last week to the feats performed in

delight. The whole effeir went off without a man falling out, sithough the best and fatigue must have been very great. Luncheon was served at the Officers' Club and the visitors were sped back to town only in sufficient time for them to get ready for a banquet at which It was their turn to be hosts. The company included the Prince of Wales, and one result the talk and good cheer will assuredly be tha Englishmen and Americans will find that there are more points for agreement between them than for dissension, and at present everything points to a permanent arrangement between

those two countries that shall be an example and a caution to the other great powers of the Wales last week performed the marvellous feat of running 143 miles from Paddington to world that are obviously preparing for a confliot which is not so far away in point of time. The great reception I have referred to, with Its henourable and peaceful objects, not unnaturally invites comparison with another that has been going on not so far from Potsdam and caused so much chagrin to all parties concerned. Li Hung-chang is to arrive in London on the 3rd of August and will remain a month, after which he leaves for home via America. There are indications that after all he will be entertained us a guest of the Government, but it is quite certain that the mistakes of his Continental visit will not be repeated here. The Englishman who largely rules things at the Embassy of China is much too astate to encourage on such displays as Li met with lately and which must have been anything but agreeable, if the truth must be told, to the honoured omissary

NEWCHWANG FLOODED.

Newchwang, 25th July. After several days of hot, dry weather, the rainy sesson set in-rather prematurely, how ever. In rather less than 24 hours, nearly inches of rainfall were registered. Yestorday. as a consequence, we had no perceptible able tide, and when the strong spring-tide came up in the afternoon it was at once apparent that something phenomenal would happen. How-Magisterial decision that the policeman must ever, little preparation was made to meet consequent occurrences. At about 8 p.m. the tide was at its normal height. The water had still Chamberlain for his Colonial Office policy ever | three hours to rise, and it did, with a vengeance. since his action in the Transvaal affair, but The tide had not risen to such an extent for years, and the floods in 1888 Commerce Congress. Mr. Punch seems to have the only piece of promonading ground the special train, under escort of a guard of soldiers, small in comparison. The water broke over the site of the Rattler's winter dock that the mischief commenced in the Settlement. In less than an hour the whole Settlement was flooded. Most foot traffic was immediately replaced by sampans and foreign boats. Crafts of all de scriptions and dimensions were requisitioned, and it was a novel sight to see sampans soulling through the streets of our Settlement. However, there was work for these. Foreign ladies and children had to be rescued from flooded houses and brought to places of comparative safety. In some foreign houses the water rose to eighteen inches above the fleoring and in Chinese, to over three feet. It was piteous to see whole families of Chinese coming down the streets in sampans, having lost their all. Hundreds of houses are reported to have collapsed and thousands of people are rendered homoless. This is in our vicinity. As one proceeds, river the desolation increases in protext for lengthy leaders on Imperial Federation portion. Miles and miles of crops are under water, and altogether the damage is calculated by hundreds of thousands of taels. The desolation and destruction were more apparent when the water had fallen. Foreign warehouses were made impregnable by means of straw,

mud, and other conveniences; in one case only some considerable damage to piece goods was done. The Customs' examination offices were two feet under water; no damage, however, was done to Customs' property. Others fared less luckily. Whole walls, roofs, and houses of foreigners collapsed and the dearth of dwelling places is thereby increased. Several cases of rowning are reported down town and accideuts were numerous. The whole, however, was not without humorous incidents. foreigner, in wading up to his middle in water. suddenly disappeared in a hole and after an absence of about ten seconds reappeared, blustering and puffing like a porpoise, to the amusement of the small boys who were sitting at the edges like so many cranes. A smart little skiff, flying the "Yuen Lai" flag, intending to deposit its living contents on what was thought, under the circumstances, to be terra firma, but on the valiant taipan stopping | been_supplied by the defendants, with their over the side to reconnoitre he completely disappeared, and it was only his swimming capa-bilities and the aid of boat hooks that saved him from an inevitable inquest. A good deal of to damages and the delivery up of the wrappers sickness prevails at present, both among Chineso and foreigners, and at this time of year the occurrences described will only intensify matiers.—Mercury correspondent.

THE ENGLISH MAIL

English mail of the 10th July, arrived the Marquess of Granby's son; but this title yesterday. The following telegrams are from the Times of Ceylon :-PRINCESS MAUD'S MARRIAGE.

London, 22nd July The marriagon the Princess Mand of Wales was duly colemnized to-day. The scene at Bucking hand alace Chapel was most brilliant. All the members of the royal family were present besides many foreign guests. The Queen withdrew after the ceremony. The Prince of Wales presided at the breakfast, at which the and Mrs. Gladstone, and Mr. and Mrs. Cham-

berlain were present. THE NEW INDIAN LOAN COVERED THREE TIMES OVER. Calcutta, 23rd July. The result of the S per cent rupes loan was

as follows:-The minimum rate of R102 78. only received 2.9 per cent of the amount applied they received in compensation (after the for at that rate. The average rate was R103 Is. 101 p. The tenders for the four crores in 1616. Oddly enough, two years later amounted to over twelve crores, of which three and three-quarters were from Hombay and Ma- at the death of the Earl of Rutland in 1632, lest dras, and the remainder in Calcutta. It is re- both the old and the new one. The former ported that the bulk of the loan has been taken on London accounts. THE MARQUIS OF LORNE ON THE FUTURE whose title ought to be "Roos," but was con-OF SOUTH APRICA.

London, 23rd July. piation last night, at which the Marquis of bornly to use the title they had lost even down Lorne presided, his Lordship, in toasting the | to 1770, when the present Duke's grandfather that the British before long would be as much struggle has been finally ended by the Queen the masters of the Zambesi as the masters of conferring on the family a barony with the THE RACE FOR THE LIVERPOOL CUP.

The Liverpool Cup was run to-day with the following result:-- -Canterbury Pilgrim OPERATIONS IN THE MATOPPO HILLS

London, 23rd July.

London, 24th July. The operations against the Matabeles in the Matoppo Hills are regarded as indecisive. stated that Colonel Carrington will not re-enter the hills, but will build forts round.

THE TURKISH TROOPS IN CRETE. London, 24th July. It is stated that the Czar, through Count Lobanoff, has expressed his regret at the conduot of the Turkish troops in Crote. DR. HAPPRINE'S INCOULATIONS.

Calcutta, 24th July. Dr. Haffkine has arrived at Poons to carry out inoculations against cholera amongst the troops where the outbreak has been most severe. SHIPPING FREIGHTS IN CALCUTTA-DOWN TEN SHILLINGS. Calcutta, 24th July.

Calcutta freights are abnormally low, and tonnage is offering for Dundee at 16s. 3d. against 25s. last year. For August and September loading, two steamers have been chartered at 15s. German export trade shows a very remarkable

rise for 1895, as will be seen from the following their place is about to be filled on Monday to witness some directed smashing in othis official statement giving the value in millions of marks: Cotton industry, 200 in 1895, 157 in 1894; silk industry, 151 in 1895, 122 in 1894; wool inpromised. The redoubtable H.K. V. will perhaps journey was a fitting beginning to a week in 1895, 100 in 1894 machines and instruments,

OLDA PODRIDA.

your hearts?" saked the new missionary, "Well, the next thing to it," answered the savage.

It is recommended that every lifeboat carried y ships should be provided with a bottle of citric soid, which precipitates chloride of so. dinm, and, it is now claimed, converts sea water into a palatable drink.

Sydney housewife (to ceretable heathen) pence." H. "Too Dear." J. "You pay fourpence?" H. "Make it threepence, John."
J. "All K! How many?" H.: "Oh, give us a ' penn'orth!"

From the announced intention of Germany to send several technical authorities to India to report upon the condition of the cotton industry. with special reference to the mills owned and worked by native manufacturers, it is evident that the object is to discover whether there is any possibility of an opening for German-made mill machinery .- Indian and Eastern Engineer

Lord Rosebery told a good story the other day of a gambler who lost an enormous sum at Crockford's in the old days, and came out of that bount with a generally victors feeling against himself and the whole human race which he did not know how to vent. Looking opposite at White's Club-house he saw a gentleman kneeling against the stairs and tying his shoe lace. The gambler saw in him an object on which to vent his feeling, and, rushing up to the gentleman, he kicked him, and cried, "Bless you"-he did not say "Bless you," but in the presence of the chairman (Prebendary Snowden] I will not quote the exact word he did use (laughter) but he said, "Bless you, you are always tying up your shoo look.

The gold plate which is sent up from Wind sor Castle for the State concerts amounts to about 10,000 pieces. It comes from the Gold Pantry, which is an iron room situated on the ground floor under the royal apartments. The Clerk of the Pantry gives it out in iron boxes and receives a receipt for it. It is carried Palace. He gives a receipt for it and is responsible for it while it remains at the Palace. The same formalities are observed in taking it back. and all persons concerned are glad when it is once more restored to the safe keeping of the Gold Pantry. The total value of plate in this department is nearly two millions storling. A great deal of it dates from the roign of George IV.; but smong the antiquities are some pieces: which were taken from the Armada.

Ju-the High Court of Justice. Chancery Division, on the 2nd July, before Mr. Justice Kekewich, the case of Liebig's Extract of Meat Co. Limited v. the Chemists' Co-operative Bociety, Limited and others, was tried. This was an action by the plaintiff company for an iniquotion to restrain the defendants from selling meat extract in wrappers similar to those used by the plaintiffs, and from passing off meat extract sold by the defendants as meat extract sold by the plaintiffs. The defendant company was incorporated in April, 1895, and subsequently acquired several businesses in and about Bradford, Yorkshire, including Goodall's Drug Stores and the Liebig Medicated Wine Company, Limited. In the course of their business they sold meat extract. The plaintiffs' case was that they were generally known as the 'Liebig Company," and that whon customers went to the defendant company's shops and askedfor the "Liebig Company's" extract of meat or beef they were supplied with the defendants article and not the plaintiffs' though the customers intended to buy the plaintiffs' "Liebig or "Liebig Company's" aftract. Mr. Warring Q.C., and Mr. C. E. E. Jonkins appeared for the plaintiffs; and Mr. Bramwell Davis, Q.C., and Mr. Martelli for the defendants. Mr. Justice Kekewich held, upon the evidence, that the defendants' wrappers were so like the plaintiffs as to be calculated to deceive; that it had proved beyond dispute that the extract sold by the plaintiffs was known as " Liebig Company's Extract," or simply as "Company's Extract"; and that people had asked for. The plaintiffs were therefore entitled to an injunction on both grounds; also in the defendants' passession, and costs.—Times. Few will have realized the interest of the

announcement that a barony has been conferred

on the Duke of Rutland, in conjunction with the summons of his oldest son to the House of Lords. The Dake is already the holder of a The P. & O. steamer Rosetta, with the barony, that of "Manners de Haddon," which; would leave the family with an horress. having been created in favour of the eldest son of the eighth Harl of Rutland, when summoned by writ to the Upper House (1679) five months before his father's death. The newly created barony, that of "Roos of Eelvoir," will, on the contrary, descend to the Duke's heirs mals, and has a most ourious history. The Rose title is a striking illustration of the fact that our greatest houses, like the Dukes of Norfolk, have never been willing to admit that titles and estates which "came with a lass" should also "go with a lass." In right of his mother Sir George Manners styled himself and was buried sa "Lord Roos" in 1513, and his son sat in the House of Lords by that title; but in 1587 this ancient barony passed " with a lass" to the Ceoils. The Manners family, retaining Belvoir and the Roos estates, tried to retain the title also, but the case went against them, and manner of the time) a new barony of Roos they once more inherited the old barony; but, passed through several families to the present Lord De Ros," premier Baron of England, verted into "De Ros" by an error in the writ of summons of 1831. Meanwhile the Earls, At a dinner given by the South African Asso- afterwards Dukes, of Rutland continued stubosperity of South Africa, said he believed was still known as Lord Ross. The long coveted title, precisely as her ancester James I. conferred it in compensation on the Duke's collateral ancestor 280 years ago .- St James's

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Rosetta, from Bombay 22nd July, and Singapore 1st August, had moderate monsoon and fine weather throughout. The British steamer Kong Beng, from Bang kok via Koh-si-chang, 30th July, had S.W wind and cloudy weather: Aug. 5th passed the steamer Mongkut, in lat. 20 N., long. 113 E. The British steamer Wongkoi, from Bangkok 27th July, and Swatow 5th August, had fresh S.W. winds and squally weather to Padaran; thence to Paracels various winds and fine westher. On 3rd August hard gale with terrible squalls with high cross sec. From Swatow to port fine weather.

PASSENGERS BOOKED FOR THE FAR EAST. Per P. & O. steamer Canton, from London

July 11 .- To Straits, China, and Japan : Mr. G. $oldsymbol{\Lambda}_{*}$. Gando. Per P. & C. steamer Occana, from London July 17 .- To Straits, China, and Japan: Mr. H. T. Houghton, Mr. W. Muir, Mr. A. Knight, Miss Brown, Rev. J. S. Matoda, Rov. K. Mazakawa, Mr. Fredericko Casanoras, Mr. Champion,

Per P. & O. steamer Valetta, from London, July 30 .- To Straits, China, and Japan : Mr. Jackson, Miss E. Mitchell, Mr. Walter James. From Brindisi, Aug. 9.—Mr. P. D. Thomson, Mr. Loskie, Mr. D. Allocok.

Per P. & O. steamer Ceylon, from London, Aug. 8 .- To Straits, China, and Japan Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Mr. P. J. S. Wilson. Per P. & O. steamer Pariamatta, from London, Aug. 13 .- To Straits, China, and Japan Mrs. Webster, Mr. H. P. Bayley. Per P. & O. steamer Manila, from London, Aug. 22 .- To Straits, Chins, and Japan: Mrs. and Miss Mola, Mrs. Sarjoant.

Per P. & O. steamer Mussilia, from London. Aug. 27 .- To Straits, Chips, and Japan: Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Rutherford, Miss Feaner. Dr. BANKS.

ING CORPORATION.

G. B. Dodwell, Eeq. M. D. Ezekiel, Eeq.

R. M. Gray, Esq.

-EXPORT CARGO. The steamer Ernest Simons, sailed on the 5th August. For France: 261 bales raw silk, 6 cases silk piece goods, 4 cases bristles, 187 packages tes, 90 packages canes, 18 packages hair, and 6 packages carthenware. For London: -1 case silk piece goods.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK- 1807] ING CORPORATION.

OFICE is hereby given that the ORDIN-ARY HALF YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this CORPORA-TION will be hold at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, ou SATURDAY, the Fifteenth day of August, at Noon, for the purpose of receiv-ing the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th By Order of the Court of Directors. T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager Hongkong, 29th July, 1896. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANK-ING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the RE-GISTERS OF SHARES of the Cor-PORATION will be CLOSED from SATUR-DAY, the First to the Fifteenth day of August (both days inclusive) during which period to transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON,

Hongkong, 29th July, 1826. H. G. BROWN & COMPANY, LIMITED.

FETHE SEVENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the General Managers, Queen's Road, on MONDAY, the 17th of August, 1896, at Noon, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Consulting Committee and General Managers, together with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1895, and electing Consulting Committee and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 4th to the 17th August, both days inclusive. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 28th July, 1896. H. G. BROWN & COMPANY, LIMITED.

OCCICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEET-ING of the COMPANY will be held at the OFFICE of the GENERAL MANAGERS, 27, OFFICE of the GENERAL MANAGERS, 27.

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, on MONDAY, the

17th inst., immediately after the Ordinary

Yearly Mueting, to be held at same place at

Noon on the same day, for the purpose of con
sidering and if thought fit passing the following

resolution, viz.—That the Company be wound

up voluntarily under the provisions of the Com
panies Ordinances 1865-1891.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 1st August, 1896. HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY. LIMITED.

NOTIOE

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS ivil be held at the Company's Hotel on FRIDAY, the 21st August, at Noon, for the Purpose of Receiving a Statement of Accounts of the Company to the 80th June, 1896, with the Report of the Directors, and to discuss any matters that may be competently brought before the Meeting,

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 7th to the 21st Angust both days inclusive. August, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

C. MOONEY. Secretary. Hongkong, 31st July, 1896. HUNGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the OFFICES of the COMPANY No. 14, PRAYA CENTRAL, on MONDAY, the 24th August, at 3 o'clock P.M. for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts to the 30th June,

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to 24th August, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

THOS. I. ROSE. Secretary. Hongkong, 3rd August, 1896. THE HONGKONG, CANTON, AND

MACAO BTEAMBOAT COMPANY. -LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND at the Rate of 8 per Cent., or \$1.20 per Share, declared at the Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting of Shareholders held This Day will be PAYABLE at the HONGRONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COR-PORATION on and after SATURDAY, 1st AUGUST, 1896. SHAREHOLDERS are requested to apply to the Office of the COMPANY for WAR-

By Order of the Board of Directors,

Hongkong, 1st August, 1896.

NOTICE. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED.

THE CERTIFICATE No. 1,899, dated 1 26th May, 1886, of the Ten Shares, Nos. 3,681/3,690, in this COMPANY, standing in the name of Mr. FRANK ARTHUR MORGAN, of Peking, at present residing at Kiukiang, has been LOST, and if at the expiration of One Month from the date hereof the above document be not forthcoming another Certificate will be issued by the Company, and thereafter no other will be acknowledged. GEO. L. TOMLIN.

Acting Scoretary. Hongkong, 16th July, 1896. WORTH A GUINEA A BOX.

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Hongkong, 17th August, 1887. MIMPRESS ASSURANCE CORPORA TION, LIMITED.

FIRE AND MARINE. We have This Day been appointed AGENTS and are prepared to accept Risks at CUR-RENT RATES. HOLLIDAY, WISE & CO. Hongkong, 28th April, 1896.

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—Light E. or varying winds; fair. Telegraphic communication between the Observatory and Victoria Peak remains interrapted.

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MESSES, FALCONER & Co.'s REGISTER, 6th August.

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CRANE BROS. Auotioneers. Singapore, 15th July, 1896. PUBLIC AUCTION LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S DRAPERY AND OUT-FITTING.

FIGHE Undersigned has received Instructions to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION. TOMORROW (SATURDAY), the 8TH AUGUST, 1896, Commencing at 2.30 P.M., eat his Sales Rooms. Duddell Street. A QUANTITY OF LADIES' DRAPERY,

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A SMALL LOT OF SUPERFINE BLANKETS. On View from FRIDAY, 7th August. TERMS OF SALE:—Cash on delivery. GEO. P. LAMMERT, Auctioner. Hongkong, 3rd August, 1896.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

of Sale of CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held on the Spot, on MONDAY, the 10th day of August, 1896, at 4 P.M., are published for general information. By Command, J. H. STEWART LOCKHART. Colonial Scoretary,

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkeng, 25th July, 1896. - [1777 Particulars and Conditions of the Letting by Wanchai Wareh'se Co.

Public Auction Sale, to be held on Watson & Co., A. S ... MONDAY, the 10th day of August, 1896, at 4 P.M., by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land, together with Erection and Buildings thereon, in the Colony of Hong-kong, for a Term of 999 years.

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Public Auction Sale, to be held on TUESDAY the 11th day of Augusz, 1896, at 4 P.M., by Order of His Excellency, the Governor, of Two Lots of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a Terms of PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. No. 235.

THE following Particulars and Conditions of Sale of CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held on the Spot, on WED-NESDAY, the 12th day of August, 1896, at 4 P.M., are published for general information. By Command. J. H. STEWART LOCKHART. Colonial Secretary.

Hongkong, 25th July, 1896. Particulars and Conditions of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on WED. NESDAY, the 12th day of August, at 4 PM., by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land, at Hok Un, Kowloon, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a Torm of 75 years.

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VESSELS EXPECTED. COMMERCIAL. CLOSING QUOTATIONS. THE AMBRICAN MAIL. The P. M. etsamer Utty of Pcking, with the American mail of the 11th July. left Yoko. THURSDAY, 6th August. EXCHANGE-

hama on Friday, the Slat July, at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Friday, the 7th instant. The O. & O. steamer Doric, with mails, &c., from San Francisco to the 21st último, has arrived at Yokohama, and will leave for this port on the 7th instant, via Nagasaki.

The P. M. steamer China, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu, Yokohama and Nagasaki on the 30th ultimo:

THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The C. P. steamer Empress of India left
Vancouver on the Srd instant for Hongkong. THE INDIAN MAIL The steamer Kutsang, from Calcutta and Straits, left Singapore for this port on the 4th inetant.

MERCHANT STEAMERS. The steamer Glenavon, from London and Straits, left Singapore for this port on the 3rd instant. The N.P. steamer Tacoma left Victoria, B.C., for this port on the 30th ultimo, via ports The P. & O. steamer Shanghai, from Loudon, left Singapore on the 1st inst., at 5 p.m. and is due here on the 7th instant.

The Rickmers steamer Elizabeth Rickmers,

from Middlesbro, Antwerp and Hamburg, left Singspore on the 1st instant for this port and may be considered due here on Friday, the 7th instant. The N. P. steamer Braemar left Yekobama. for this port on the 6th instant, via Robe, Nagasaki and Shanghai.

The steamer Flintehirs left Singapore on the 4th instant and is due here on or about the 10th instant.

The D. D. R. steamer Aglaia, from Hamburg, left Singapore on the 4th instant, and may beexpected here on or about the 10th instant. The Austrian Lloyd's steamer Meausa left Singapore for this port on the 5th instent. PASSED THE CANAL. OUTWARD-3rd July-Courie, Tosa Maru. 14th July-Ghazee. 17th July-Oolong. Sydney,

Teucer, Dardanus, Leander. 21st July-Kreimhild, Agapanthus. 24th July-Canton, 28th July-Benvoirlich, Glaucus, 31st July-Mogul, Pingsuey, Wennington Hall.
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Queen Olga, Idsumi Maru, Dorothea. omeward—31st July—Glengarry, Japan.
4th August—Oceanien, Gerda.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

- A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.—Per Tetartos, to-day, the 7th inst., at 7.30 A.M.
For Kuchinotzu.—Per Ariake Moru, to-day, -the-7th inst., at 9.30 A.M. For Singapore.—Per Sunda, to-day, the 7th inst., at 9.30 A.M. For Swatow-Per Namou, to-day, the 7th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Nagasaki and Kobe.—Per Nanshan, today, the 7th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Tientsin -- Per Nanchang, to-day, the 7th inst, at 2.30 P.M. For Kudat and Sandakan.-Per Memnon, tomorrow, the 8th inst., at 8.80 P.M. For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta.—Per Lightning, on Tuesday, the 11th instant; at For Singapore.-Per Bellona, on Wednesday, the 12th inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Shanghai and Wladivostock.—Per Wingsang, on Thursday, the 13th inst., at

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The height of mean sea-level has been determined, from the tidal observations of 1887 and 1888, as 3.87 feet above zero of the tide-punge at the Kowloch Tidal Observatory; and the Lower-water Ordinary Spring Tides, to which datum the heights in these Tables are returned, as 3.87 feet above zero.

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PORT, AND, SINGAPOICE. PORT, AND, SINGAPOICE. "NESTOR," "NESTOR," Captain Asquith, will be despatched as above TO.DAY, the 7th inst., at NOON:	LONDON VIA MARSEILLES. LONDON VIA MARSEILLES. Ningohow Ningohow	Captain F. v. Binzer, will be despatched to as SEA AND BALTIC POLITS; allove ports on WEDNESDAY, the 12th inst., at Noon. LONDON, NEW YORK, HOSTON, BAL-
of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Kowloon, whence delivery may be Hongkong, 6th August, 1896. [180]	MARSEILLES, HARVE & H'BURG. Maria Richmore From str. Paul. Messagordes Maritimes On 12th Inst., at Noon MARSEILLES VIA. SAIGON &C Salazie Brit. str. Archibate, u.v.m. Canadian Pacific R. Co On 25th Inst., at Noon Wang Wang Res. V. N'SAKT. Hapoh	Agents. Hongkong, 4th August, 1896. [1782] Hongkong, 4th August, 1896. [1782] Hongkong, 4th August, 1896.
obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the office of the undersigned before Noon on the 8th inst., or they will not be re- characterised. "RICKMERS" REGULAR LINE OF STEAMERS. THE Company's Steamship	VICTORIA, B.C., &c., v. Y'HAMA Evandule Belt. str B	POR NAGASAKI, KOBE, AND AND LUGGAGE.
All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be captain Andresen, will be despatched as above examined on Saturnay, the 8th inst. TO MORROW, the 8th inst.	SAN FRANCISCO SAN FRANCISCO SERVIN STRAIN ST	Captain Dovor, will be despatched as above Proposed Sallings From Hondrong, on or about WEDNESDAY, the 12th inst. For Preight or Passage, apply to For Preight or Passage, apply to CARLILL & COR (Subject to Alteration).
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"PATROCLUS" are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Go- charged into Craft, and/or landed at the Go- charged the Understand; in both cases it will Captain Pulford, will be despatched as abo TO-MORROW, the 8th inst, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,	WLADIWOSTCK V. SHANGHAI. Wingsang	NAGASAKI) PREUSSEN Tuesday 12nd March. ON TUESDAY, the 18th day of August, WINGSANG. WINGSANG. Contain Solhier will be despressed as above SACHSEN. Captain Supmer, with
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at 11 A.M. on the 13th instant. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRL. Agents. PIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN.	SWATOW, AMOY, & PAIWANFOO PLOTOR RALLWAY COY'S VESSELS ON THE BERT	H. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. Monday, the 17th August and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office antil Noon be received at the Agency's Office antil Noon on Monday, the 17th August. Contents of on Monday, the 17th August. Contents of the Monday, the 17th August.
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HONGKONG TO LONDON \$400. HONGKONG TO LONDON \$400. Excellent accommodation. First class Tall Doctor and Stewarders carried.	CALLING AT SHANGHAI, NAGASARI, ROLLI, AUGUSTALITY. SPEED. PUNCTUALITY. MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOU MERICA, AND EUROPE, WAS	THE Hongkong 6th August 1896.
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risks into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowleon Wharf and Godown Company, Li- mited, at Kowleon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. HONGKONG TO TACOMA \$225.	EMPRESS OF INDIAComdr. C. P. Marshall, R.N.E. WEDNESDAY, 30th Sept., 1896 PROPOSED SALLINGS FROM HONGS TEMPRESS OF JAPANComdr. Geo. A: Lee; R.N.E. WEDNESDAY, 30th Sept., 1896 PROPOSED SALLINGS FROM HONGS OF CARLES (via Nagasaki,). Saturday.	ONG. VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND PROPOSED SAILINGS August (Subject to Alterations)
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Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after Tues DAY, the 11th inst., at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Tacoma the 11th inst. or they will not be Tacoma 12,549 Thursday. Sept.	connection is made at Montreal, then and the Continent are given choice of: Lines, which passengers to Great British and the Continent are given choice of: Passengers Booked through to all principal points and AROUND THE WORLD. Return Passengers Booked through to all principal points and AROUND THE WORLD. Return BEGLIC (via Nagasaki, Saturday, tickels to various points at reduced rates, Good for 4, 6, 9, and 12 months. 10. 1896, a	Sept. CHINA (via Nagasaki, Thursday, Sept. 3, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yo. 1896, at Noon. Kohama, and Hono- 1896, at Noon. S.S. CASSIUS To JAVA Oct.
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TORIA, B.C., and TACOMA, Wash., SHANGHAI, KOBE, and YOKOHAMA SHANGHAI, KOBE, and YOKOHAMA Through Bills of Lading issued to Ja Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian United States Points	by the Company, and their appointments and Chiame are all the pass and their appointments and Chiame are allowed. For further information, Maps, Guide Books, Rates of Passage, &c., apply to D. E. BROWN, General Agent, Pedder Street. Bleamers of this line pass and object and call at the passage are allowed. LULU and passangers are allowed.	the IN- taking Passengers and Freight for Japan. HONO. the United States, and Europe. to break Steamers of this line pass through the IN- port and will have quick despatch. port and will have quick despatch.
Captain F. Jager, having arrived from Consular Invoices of Goods for United Stabove ports, Consignees of Curgo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the undersigned and to countersignature by the undersigned and to of the Freight Agent, Northern Pacific 1	PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL Through Passenger Tickets granted land, France, and Germany by all trans	to Eng. journey at any point en rouge. Atlantic Through Passage Tickets granted to Eng. Atlantic R. J. REMEDIOS.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 3 P.M. TO-DAY. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be sailing. For further information as to Passag landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong and	the United States or Canada. Rates is to culars of the various Routes may be	obtained the United States or Canada. Rates may be ob- tained on application. Passengers holding through ORDERS TO Pussengers holding through ORDERS TO EUROPE have the choice of Overland Rail to any address on receipt of satisfactory refer-
Limited, and stored at Consignees risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods No Code and Stored at Consignees risk and General Agents. Hongkong, 4th August, 1896.	Missionaries, members of the Naval, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to August. Preight or Passage. Officials in service of China and Japa	European Union Pacific, Denver and Rio Grande Stamps in Large or Small Quantities for Cash. and to and Northern Pacific Railways; also the Canadran Pacific Railway on payment of Liberal Discount Allowed. [1304]
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No Fire Insurance has been effected. SIEMSSEN & CO., Agents. Hongkong 4th August, 1896. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Captain W. Buyers, sailing at Noon. MORROW, the 8th inst., will proceed VICTORIA, B.C., and TACOMA, W.M.	Noon, 13th See Special Advertisement. Count of 10 per center This allowance LONDON, &c	Japan to Union Pacific, Denver and Rio Grands. I Japan to Union Pacific, Denver and Rio Grands. and other direct connecting Railways, and from on Application to the Undersigned for: Chicago to destination the choice of direct lines. Teak Squares, Planks, Scantlings, and
For Particulars, see regular Nor Pacific Advertisement. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & C.	LONDON	ived at the on application: Special rates (first class only) are granted to BOARDS. Missionaties, members of the Naval, Military, Missionaties, members of the Naval, Military, TEAR SHINGLES. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & CO.
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Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the cooks are landed. AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT). STEAM FOR COLOR	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. "STRATH" LINE OF STEAMSHIP. Son Francisco. FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. For further information as to	to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Intand Cities of the United States, via Overland, Railway, to of the United States, via Overland, Railway, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to porter in Mexico. Central and South America, by the BOARDS, FOR FLOORING, CEILING. WALLING,
No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. All damaged packages must be left in the All damaged packages must be left in the	"MEMNON." Captain B. Branch, will be despatched as above port on or about the 10th August. TO.MORROW, the 8th inst., at 4 P.M. "STRATHNEVIS." Captain Pattic, will be despatched for the above port on or about the 10th August. For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, 24th July, 1896.	Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. Agent. The day previous to enting. Parcel Packages the day previous to entil 5 P.M. same will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same [4] Will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same [5] JARDINE, MATHESON & CO. [6] Hongkong, 3rd May, 1895.
Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's acrival here, after which no claims will be recognised. H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Agents. Hongkong, 4th August, 1896. Hongkong, 20th July, 1896. Hongkong, 20th July, 1896. FOR SINGAPORE, PENAN. CALCUTTA: "RICKMERS" REGULAR LINE OF "RICKMERS" REGULAR LINE OF	address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the timed to points beyond San Francisco in the TNOUIRE where your FRESH WATER timed to points beyond by the Water Boats, as Foul.
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"NESTOR" are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Go- charged into Craft, and/or landed at the Go- Agents.	ge and "BENGLOE." SEA Ports. Captain Thomson, will be despatched as above on or about the 9th August. CO., on or about the 9th August. CO., on or about the 9th August. CHINA NAVIGATION CON	PANY, Hongkong, 4th August, 1896. No. 7, Praya Central, CALL FLAG W. J. W. KEW & CO., STEAM WATER BOAT COMPANY. Hongkong, 4th August, 1896. Hongkong, 9th October, 1895. [1405]
and Godown Co., in both cases it will lie at Consigners' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery on and after the 8th inst. Goods undelivered after the 13th inst. will	Hongkong, 30th July, 1896. [1725] Hongkong, 30th July, 1896. [1725] ODEGON RAILWAY AND NAVIGA. Captain E. Berg, will be desputched as above to a TUESDAY, the 11th inst. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO., PORTS, SYDNEY, AND MEL. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO., PORTS, SYDNEY, AND MEL. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO., PORTS, SYDNEY, AND MEL.	FOR SAN FRANCISCO. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. FULL 100 A 1 British Ship RUINART PERE & FILS, REIMS
be subject to rent. All damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 A.M. on the 13th inst. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agents. Agents. [1805] Captain Finlayson, will be despate	Hongkong. 6th Angust, 1896. Hongkong. 6th Angust, 1896. STEAMSHIP LINE. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL Captain Lines, will be despatched of China And Japan. STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. The attention of Passengers is	directed to instant.
Hongkong, 7th August, 1896. VESSELS ON THE BERTH CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY	PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, 1896 (Subject to Alteration.) IRE, MONMOUTHBHIRE Saturday. 15th August. MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS,	MELCHERS & CO. LAUTS, WEGENER & CO. LAUTS, WEGENER & CO. Sole Agents. Provisions STEAM TO NATALIAND CAPE PORTS Hongkong, 17th May, 1895.
FOR PACIFIC COAST, CANADA, AND THE UNITED STATES. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGET MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANC	STATES AND CANADA AT THROUGH RATES. LONDON. LONDON. A duly qualified Surgeon is car Vessel is titted throughout with El Vessel is titted throughout with El THROUGH BILLS OF LADING ISSUED FOR BATAVIA PERSIAN GULF, CONTINENTAL A duly qualified Surgeon is car Vessel is titted throughout with El ENTERPIELD & Agouts	SWIRE, (MESSRS, BULLARU, KING & Co.'s link.) CHAMPAGNE, 1889, WHITE SEAL.
"HUPEH" will be despatched on or about the 6th August, for Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., via August, for Victoria and Vakohama. COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADE	will be despitched hence for Political AND AMERICAN PORTS. OREGON, via KOBE and YONOHAMA, on SATURDAY, the 15th August. Consular Invoices of Goods for United States ON Consular Invoices of Goods for United States Points should be in QUADRUPLICATE, and Captain J. R. Lendon, R.N.R., carrying Her FOR NEW YORK VIA SUE	Z CANAL THROUGH BILLS OF LADING for NATAL, RED AND WHITE
Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokonama. Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast, Canadian and United States Points. For Particulars as to rates, &c., apply to LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEA	one Copy must be sent forward by the Steamen of the General Freight Agent, to the care of the General Freight Agent, for Bombay, &c., on Thursday, the 13th Oregon Railway and Navigation Co., Portland, August, at Noon, taking Passengers and Oregon. Oregon. Oregon. The S.S. "MONMOUTHSHIRE," has Silvered Velocities all Cargo for France, and C.I. A MORGANSHIP	BAY, CAPE TOWN, DELAGOA BAY, and BEIRA. Transhipment will be made at CALCUTTA. Transhipment will be made at CALCUTTA. Next sailing from CALCUTTA, S.S. Next sailing from CALCUTTA, S.S. UMZINTO" on the 15th August, to be UMZINTO" on the 15th August, to be UMZINTO" on the 15th August, to be
Hongkong, 5th August, 1896. FOR NAGASAKI AND KOBE. General Agent. [1688] ON WEDNESDAY, the 19th at Noon, the Company's S. "SALAZIE" Captain Paul, with	August, For further information as to Passage and transhipped at Colombo into a steamer pro- above port on or about the 16th in ceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other pro- BHEWAN, TOMES & CO., Agents. Cargo for London (under arrangement) Agents. Call transhipped at Colombo into a steamer pro- above port on or about the 16th in ceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other Cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed via Agents.	st. September, and thereafter every three weeks. Hongkong, 1st February, 1896. [3] LACO., SPECIAL NOTICE. FOR SALE.
THE Steamship "NANSHAN," Captain Jenkins, will be despatched for the above ports TO-DAY, the 7th just, at Noon, vessel takes on her Passengers and M.	Hongkong, 31st July, 1896. Which which ils, leav. Hongkong, 31st July, 1896. FOR NEW YORK. Which ils, leav. FOR NEW YORK. Shippers are particularly requested to note GATION COMPANY, LI	For Freight and further Particulars, PURTNITORS TO THE LAPRITAGE AND LOVE
For Freight or Passage, apply to BRADLEY & CO., BRADLEY & CO., Agents. Agents. Cargo and Specie will be registered don as well as for Marseilles, and according to the company. The property of the company of the	for Lon- Captain Leonard, is loading for the above port of Lading. FOR LONDON. The terms and conditions of the Conditions of Lading. FOR LONDON. For further Particulars, apply to For further Particulars, apply to Superintendent. (Taking Transhipment Cargo for Superintendent.)	L PORTS General Agents for China and Japan HONOPOLE RED SEAL (medium dry) LIVERPOOL, Hongkong, 9th July, 1896. Do- "see" Red Folk } (dry)
LIMITED. places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted Cargo will be received on board unt Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M. on August. (Parcels are not to be sent	Hongkong, 1st July, 1896. Hongkong, 31st July, 1896. Hongkong, 31st July, 1896. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE 3/3 L.I.I. American Ship THE 100 A.I. British Ship Convender, will	CARLOWITZ & CO., Sold Agents
Captain Hall, will be despatched for the above Contents and Value of Packages are a Port TO-DAY, the 7th inst. at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to pany's Office.	"ISAAC REED," Squired. Captain F. D. Waldo, is loading here for the above port and will have quick despatch. The Combined above port and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to Agen	hal, will load here for the above port and will have quick despatch. [SE & CO., For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & CO. Printed and Published by D. Warres Smith, 1868.
Douglas LAPRAIK & CO. General Managers. Hongkong, 5th August, 1896. [1797] Hongkong, 7th August, 1886.	Hongkong, 1st July, 1896. [1523 Hongkong, 3rd July, 1896. [1238 Hongkong, 6th August, 1896.	1802 Hangkong, som Judy, 1920.